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**NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER BRINGS TRAVELING TOWN HALL DEBATE  
ON THE SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE CHICAGO CULTURAL CENTER**

***Resolved: The Second Amendment Protects The Individual's Right To Own And Carry A Gun***

WHO: **Professor Carl T. Bogus**, Roger Williams University School of Law, will argue against the resolution.  
**Professor Michael O'Shea**, Oklahoma City University School of Law, will argue in favor of the resolution.  
**Jeffrey Rosen**, president and CEO of the National Constitution Center, will moderate.

WHAT: The National Constitution Center, based in Philadelphia, Pa., will bring its *America's Town Hall* traveling series to the Chicago Cultural Center where participants will debate whether or not the Supreme Court was correct when it ruled that the Second Amendment protects an individual's right to own a handgun. The program is presented in partnership with the American Constitution Society and The Federalist Society.

The National Constitution Center is the first and only institution in America established by Congress to "disseminate information about the United States Constitution on a non-partisan basis in order to increase the awareness and understanding of the Constitution among the American people."

Admission is FREE to this event and is made possible through the support of a generous grant from the John Templeton Foundation. The opinions expressed during the program are those of the participants and do not necessarily reflect the views of the John Templeton Foundation.

WHEN: Thursday, Nov. 19, 2015  
6 p.m. Cocktail Reception | 6:30 p.m. Debate

WHERE: Chicago Cultural Center  
78 E. Washington Street, Chicago, IL.

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#### About the National Constitution Center

The [National Constitution Center](https://www.constitutioncenter.org/) in Philadelphia inspires active citizenship as the only place where people across America and around the world can come together to learn about, debate, and celebrate the greatest vision of human freedom in history, the U.S. Constitution. A private, nonprofit organization, the Center serves as America's leading platform for constitutional education and debate, fulfilling its Congressional charter "to disseminate information about the U.S. Constitution on a non-partisan basis." As the **Museum of We the People**, the Center brings the Constitution to life for visitors of all ages through interactive programs and exhibits. As **America's Town Hall**, the Center brings the leading conservative and liberal thought leaders together to debate the Constitution on all media platforms. As a center for **Civic Education**, the Center delivers the best educational programs and online resources that inspire, excite, and engage citizens about the U.S. Constitution. For more information, call 215-409-6700 or visit [constitutioncenter.org](https://www.constitutioncenter.org).

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